

RECEIVED  
MAY 23 2003  
TECH CENTER 1600/2900

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Whereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date appearing below.

ELI LILLY AND COMPANY

By Linda M. Dublin

Date May 20, 2003

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants	:	Harlan Edgar Shannon et al	) Confirmation No.:
			) 9165
Serial No.	:	09/935,513	)
			) Group Art Unit:
Filed	:	August 22, 2001	) 1617
			)
For	:	Method for Treating Pain	) Examiner:
			) Theodore J. Criares
Docket No.	:	X-10576A	)

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Under the guidelines of 37 C.F.R. 1.97, Applicants submit a copy of each of the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 (modified) for consideration by the Examiner.

Applicants wish to bring to the Office's attention that U.S. Patent 6,147,072, cited in the attached Form 1449, was filed as a Reissue Application on October 31, 2002 with the Serial Number 10/285,890 and was assigned to Art Unit 1614. Furthermore this particular reissue application is still pending.

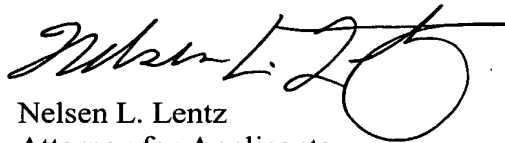
In addition, Applicants attach a copy of an IDS which was filed in the present Reissue Application Serial No. 09/935,513 on September 20, 2001. Applicants have not received the corresponding initialed Form 1449 indicating that the Office considered the references cited therein. Applicants therefore respectfully request that the Office provide such confirmation of consideration by returning the corresponding initialed Form 1449 to the Applicants.

05/22/2003 HARBELR1 00000075 050840 09935513  
01 FC:1806 180.00 CH

Since this Statement is being filed after the period specified in §1.97(b), but before the mailing date of a final action or a notice of allowance, please charge the amount of \$180.00, the fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(p), and charge any additional fees which may be required by this or any other related paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-0840.

Applicants request consideration of this information.

Respectfully submitted,



Nelsen L. Lentz  
Attorney for Applicants  
Registration No. 38,537  
Phone: 317-276-1207

Eli Lilly and Company  
Patent Division  
P.O. Box 6288  
Indianapolis, Indiana 46206-6288

May 16, 2003